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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**In re application of:** Hodges

**Art Unit:** 3689

**Application No.:** 10/720,780

**Examiner:** Antonienko, Debra

**Filed:** November 24, 2003

**Docket:** 030350

**Title:** "Methods, Systems, and Products for Auctioning of Communications Services"

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**37 C.F.R. § 1.114 SUBMISSION OF AMENDMENT  
WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Commissioner for Patents:

The Assignee respectfully requests continued examination and entry of the following amendment and remarks in response to the final office action mailed September 22, 2009. The Assignee respectfully submits that the amendment and remarks contained herein distinguish the pending claims from the cited documents.